Home On Leave

Staff Sergeant Samuel L. Ferguson is home from Viet Nam, having served there more than a year. He is shown above with his wife, Janet, Samuel I, II, Debrah and Margaret Lynn. Sgt. Ferguson's new assignment will be as instructor at the Adjutant General School, Indianopolis, Indiana.

Music Program Set For Promise Land Church Sunday Evening

The public is invited to attend the regular evening services at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday evening at 7:30. Mrs. Helen Marshall will sponsor the special program. The program will consist of several musical groups along with the Appomattox Trumpeeters.

Impressive services were held at the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday morning at the regular preaching hour. The pastor delivered a soul stirring sermon from the subject: "The Lord's Side". All present enjoyed the message. Special music was rendered by the Senior and Junior Choirs of the church. Several out-of-town visitors attended the service. The offering for the day was very good. An altar offering was taken for Miss Gracie Branch, who was recently hurt in an auto accident.

A special social was held in the Mount Shiloh recreational center on Labor Day for the benefit of the Patron of the Year Contest. Donations were made by members of the community. The social was a success.

Regular preaching services will be held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Sunday morning at the 11:30 a.m. services. The public is invited to attend. All officers and members of the church are asked to attend the regular quarterly meeting this Saturday, September 12 at 2:30 p.m.

A large delegation from Appomattox, and the Spout Spring community attended the installation services for the Rev. J. W. Palge at the Morrison Grove Baptisy Church in Charlotte Courthouse, Va. last Sunday at 3:30 p.m. The former pastor, Rev. Thomas Holmes served as master of ceremony. Special music was rendered by the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church Choir of Spout Spring. The welcome address was given by the host church. The sermon was delivered by Rev. R. Q. Lawing, the charge to the church was given by Deacon J. W. King, Rev. J. W. Wilson gave the charge to the newly elected minister and the installation prayer was offered by the Rev. D. D. Christian. The keys to the church were presented to the minister by Deacon Brother Allen.

Mrs. Mattie Trent West, a retired teacher of the Carver Price High School, is undergoing special treatment in the Lynchburg General Hospital.

Several visitors, from Baltimore, spent the Labor Day holiday here.

Mrs. Ella Mae Preston is receiving treatment in the Lynchburg General Hospital.

Piney Ridge

"Truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become like children, you will fever enter the kingdom of heaven." Matthew 18:3.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mathis were Mrs. Terry Wiseman and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Duval Brooks and daughter, Cindy, of Woodbridge; and Mr. and Mrs. Roscue Fulton, of Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Meadows and two children, Suzie and Victor, Mr. Charlie Williams, Mr. Divalo Garrette and Mr. Basil Bryant spent the week end in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peters. All th e men went to Yorktown Friday night on a fishing trip. All the men together caught 335 fish.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Williams, of Appomattox; Mr. Wayne Metcalf, of Cullen, Mr. Johnny Roach and Miss Lue Burge.

Mr. Tom Watson visited his brother, Mr. Joe Watson, of Appomatox, Sunday. He also saw his sister, Mrs. Thelma Crews of Buckingham.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Clara Cumby, Sunday were Mrs. Warn Foster, of Charlottesville; Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Almond, of Lynchburg; and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Taylor and daughter, Brenda, of Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Mays, Mrs Mary Sizemore, and Audrey Arrington visited relatives in Ellicott City, Md. over the week end. They toured part of Maryland while on their visit.

Mrs. Melvin Arrington and son, Linwood, of Powhatan, spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Mary Sizemore.

Callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tolley over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Price, Sendy Millner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tolley and Mrs. Harold Tolley and daughter, Connie Francis, all of Richmond; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tolley, of Farmville.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Clara Cumby is still on the sick list.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webber Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wade Berry and two children, Carolyn and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Finley and two daughters, Vicci Dee, and Cynthia Anne, all of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webber and two children, Debbie and Sammy, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Webber.

Mrs. Clayton Beale, Mrs. Barry Beale and Miss Shirley Patterson visited Mrs. Frank Webber Monday afternoon.

Mr. Lawrence Webber was taken to the hospital Sunday night and his condition as of this time was very serious.

Patterson Reunion

The annual Patterson Reunion was held on Sept. 6, 1964 at Piney Ridge Methodist Church.

Those attending were Mrs. Charlie McCann, of Milton, N.C.; Mr. Archie Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Witt and son, Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Witt, Jr., and two sons, Robert and Eddie, all of Farmville; Mr. James Witt, Mr. N. D. Witt, Mrs. Edith Wilson and two children, all of Danville; Mr. John Witt, of Ringgold; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and two children, of High Point, N.C.; Mr. James Lee Adkins, of Newport News; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mayberry, of Altavista; Mr. and Mrs Wade Berry and two children, Carolyn and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Finley and two daughters, Vicci Dee and Cynthia Anne, all of Richmond; Mrs. Sallie O. Rickman, Mrs. Mildred Cullop and two daughters, Joyce and Sandra, Mrs. Larry Newbill, Mr. Aubrey Bane, all of Clover; Mrs. and Mrs. A. W. Maytox; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Baldwin and son "Buddy", Mr. Glover Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webber and two children, Debbie and Sammy, Mr. Edward Webber, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webber and son, Henry Ray, all of Pamplin.

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Vera

Mrs. Hattie H. Garrett spent Thursday in Lynchburg, visiting Mrs. Terry Garrett, and family.

Mrs. D. D. Harris is a patient at the Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mrs. Hobbs will soon be well and home.

Miss Florence Amos and Terry Amos spent the week end with her parents, Mrs. Phebe Heath, of Lynchburg. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heath were dinner guests in the home Sunday.

Miss Peggy Anne McFaden has returned home from the hospital.

We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Carter and family, of Lynchburg, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson, Jr., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Carroll, of Buckingham, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Amos on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Garrett and family, of Lynchburg spent Saturday night and Sunday in Richmond with Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Garrett.

Friends extend sympathy to the T. R. Carter family in the recent death of Aubrey Carter of Lynchburg.

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Judge Urges Individual Help To Make County Law-Abiding

In and address recently to Farm Bureau members and other county citizens, Judge George F. Abbitt, Jr. urged citizens to take more responsibility for law enforcement.

"We have the responsibility to cooperate with law agencies," he said, "not to penalize anyone, but to preserve peace in the community."

Judge Abbitt said that locally officers may try in vain to secure witnesses and pertinent evidence against an accused and fail to find persons willing to help. Sometimes persons refuse to testify because of the "inconvenience", said the Judge. Other times, their sympathies are such that they refuse. "Our sympathy can moderate the punishment," he said, but after all, the accused person often has brought himself up against the law, not the other way around.

We need to volunteer information, he said, in order to help our law officers. As far as the prosecution of the law is concerned, he said, "We want all the facts." He urged each listener as he visits with neighbors and friends to talk about this opportunity to help mak e the community more law abiding.

The Judge spiced his speech with humorous accounts of individuals in the courtroom, but returned many times to his theme of "cooperation" by every one with law enforcement officers. He paid tribute to the original settlers who brought with them the English system of law.

He spoke of the many safeguards to the individual which this law system provides.

Our system of law says "It is better that a guilty man go free than that an innocent man be convicted," said Abbitt.

He spoke of the considerable influence public sentiment some times has on a case.

He told of the diligent effort by the FBI to bring to trail labor boss James Hoffa, and of the Judge's remarks at the conclusion of one of those trials. "Judge Frank Wiley Wilson made the comment," said Abbitt, " 'It is not only the prisoner who is on trial in every case, but our judicial system which is under trial.' "

DAVID C. REID, JR.

David Reid, Jr. Stationed At Chanute Air Base

Airman David C. Reid, Jr., has completed his basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and is now stationed at Chanute Air Force Base, Illinois. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Reid of Appomattox

Completes Cruise In Caribbean

Michael J. Lair, SN, USN, son of Cmdr. H. P. Lair (USN Ret.) recently returned from a Carribbean cruise.

While gone Michael visited the following Liberty ports: Roosevelt Road, Puerto Rico; St. Kitts, Windward Island. A stopoff was also made at Port Royal, South Carolina, and Morehead City, North Carolina.

Elon Baptists Entertain Minister, Wife

PAMPLIN—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Skidmore were entertained at an informal reception Friday evening at Elon Baptist Church. Skidmore has served as acting pastor of Beale Memorial Presbyterian Church for the past four years. He is now living in Richmond where he will study at Union Theological Seminary.

HD Schedule

The HD Club Schedule for the week of September 14 — 18.

Monday, Sept. 14 — Bethany Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Lowell Fleshman.

Wednesday, September 16 — Wreck Island Club will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. G. P. Jennings.

Thursday, September 17 — Pamplin Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. R. K. Martin.

Rummage Sale

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Attend 4-H Camp At VA. State

The following young 4-H members attended the State 4-H Wildlife and Conservation Camp held at Virginia State College, August 4-5-6, 1964. They were: John Paige, Jr., of Spout Spring, Carlton Pennix, of Appomattox, and Simon Walker, of Pamplin.

They heard various speeches on — "Methods of Protecting Wildlife", "Forestry Projects for 4-H Club members", "The Purpose of Agricultural Research, How It Is Done — What It Means To You" The 4-H members took a field trip to the Agricultural Research Station—College Farm.

Other speeches that were heard and discussed — "Soil and Water Conservation For The Family Farm" and "Improving Home Grounds With Native Trees and Grass".

These young 4-H'ers reported that the Camp was very beneficial and enjoyable.

Airman Completes Basic Training

SAN ANTIONIO, Tex—Airman Arthur A. Walker, son of Mrs. Helen G. Walker, of Pamplin, has completed Air Force basic military training at Lackland AFB, Tex.

Airman Walker is being assigned to a Military Air Transport Service (MATS) unit at McGuire AFB, N.J., for training and duty as a supply specialist. MATS provides global airlift of U. S. military forces and equipment.

The airman is a graduate of Carver Price High School, Appomattox.

Nelson ASCS Signing Up Wheat Farmers

LOVINGSTON — The Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service County office is now signing farmers under the 1965 wheat program. The new program will operate generally about the same as the 1964-crop program.

Hollywood

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beasley and Linda, of Woodbridge, spent the week end with Mrs. Grover Beasley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Woodall, of Lynchburg, and Mrs. W. T. Covington visited in the C. J. Bagby home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Smith, of Baltimore, spent the week end with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Banton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beasley visited his uncle, Titus W. Beasley, of Balimar, Md., last week. He was doing real good.

We are sorry to hear Mr. Robert Coleman is not well. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Misses Julia and Mary Ellen Wingfield are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bagby and attending school in Appomattox.

Tye Beasley spent Saturday with his grandmother, Mrs. Grover Beasley.

Miss Martha Banton, of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Lillian Bailey, of Phenix, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. R Banton Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Florry White spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. C. E. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baldwin, of Richmond, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Covington.

Charlie Bagby visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman Thursday afternoon.

We were sorry to hear of the death Saturday of Mrs. L. E. Smith. Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of their love one.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley, Jr. and Tye, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beasley, Lisa and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beasley and Mrs. Grover Beasley, Sr. were supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Haskell, of Lynchburg.

Mrs. Mildred Bagby, of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Emma Lemon visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Banton and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bagby Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beasley and Linda and Mrs. Grover Beasley were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beasley and family, of Bedford.

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